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protect it from the weather. It is not bent easily. It weighs 30 pounds and is easily handled. The cost is \$4.70, as shown by the following list of materials and prices:

*Material.*

26½ pounds (one-half sheet) iron, galvanized, 36 by 96 inches, 18 gage, at \$8.64	Cost.
per hundred weight.....	\$2. 29
pounds (12 feet) strap iron, galvanized, ½ by ¾ inch, at \$11.63 per hundred-	
weight.....	. 47
20 rivets, ¼ by ½ inch, galvanized.....	. 05
6 feet rope, ½-inch.....	. 06
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Labor.....	2. 87
	1. 83
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Total.....	4. 70

### OHIO LAWS CREATING HEALTH DISTRICTS HELD CONSTITUTIONAL.<sup>1</sup>

The Hughes Health Act and the Griswold Health Act, passed by the Ohio Legislature in 1919, and under the terms of which each city in the State is constituted a city health district, and the townships and villages in each county are combined into a general health district, have been declared constitutional by the Supreme Court of Ohio.

### PHYSICIAN FINED FOR ISSUING IMPROPER SCHOOL CERTIFICATES.

According to the Weekly Bulletin of the New York City Department of Health, a physician in New York City was recently fined for issuing certificates allowing the return to school of two children, one of whom had been reported to the health department but two days previously as suffering from scarlet fever, and the other a brother who had been exposed to the case. The certificates stated that "they may return to school without any menace to other children."

### DEATHS DURING WEEK ENDED MAY 6, 1922.

*Summary of information received by telegraph from industrial insurance companies for week ended May 6, 1922, and corresponding week, 1921. (From the Weekly Health Index, May 9, 1922, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.)*

	Week ended May 6, 1922.	Corresponding week, 1921.
Policies in force.....	49, 715, 225	46, 215, 876
Number of death claims.....	9, 418	8, 279
Death claims per 1,000 policies in force, annual rate.....	9. 9	9. 3

<sup>1</sup> State *ex rel.* Village of Cuyahoga Heights *v.* Zangerle, County Auditor, and State *ex rel.* City of West Park *v.* Same, 134 N. E. 686.